HONGKONG, SALURDAY, JUNE 19TH, 1886 六拜禮 號九十月六英港香 -日八十月五年二十緒光 Price S23 PER MONTH 號四十八百八千八第 NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES TO BE LET. AUCTIONS. BANKS. SHIPPING. INTIMATION TO LET-FURNISHED. TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO HONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION. PUBLIC AUCTION. ARRIVALS. SPECIALITIES. EX O. S. S. CO.'S S. S. "ORESTES." TO 2, MORRISON HILL. June 17. SALTEE, French str., 323, M. Lerede, THE Undersigned has received instructions FROM LIVERPOOL. TATARREN'S PATENT Haiphong 15th June, General .- A. R. to Sell by Public Auction, For Particulars, apply to SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than, the 23rd inst., THIS DAY, RESERVE FUND 4,300,000. A. P. STOKES. LADIES' SWIMMING COSTUMES, the 19th June, 1886, at 2 P.M., at his GRAND \SERIES June 17, FERO, German steamer, 764, P. Soren-RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF ? Supreme Court House. for shipment per steamer "ULYSSES." Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, LADIES SWIMMING COSTUMES, Hongkong, 22nd April, 1886. sen, Newchwang 10th June, Beans .-- SIEMS-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. *DIVIDENDS RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000 An Assortment of PEAK RESIDENCE. Hong)cong, 17th June, 1886. SEN & Co. JAPANESE WARE LADIES' SWIMMING COSTUMES June 18, Kone Beno, British steamer, 862, Comprising: COURT OF DIRECTORS:-OCFIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. TWO LET. "CRONEST," - Four Good SATSUMA, KIOTO, KANGA, and TORIO VASES, JARS, BOWLS, PLATES, TEA R. Jones, Bangkok 12th June, General. - MEN'S SWIMMING SUITS. . ROOMS, BATH ROOMS, and DRYING Chairman-A. McIver, Esq. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "ORESTES." Deputy Chairman-M. GROTE, Esq. Room. YUEN FAT HONG. and COFFEE SETS, ENAMELLED WARE MEN'S SWIMMING SUITS. For Particulars, apply to , H. Hoppius, Esq. Bell-Living, Esq. GOLD and SILVER INJAID BRONZES, PANELS, KAKIMON OS, EMBROID. June 18. City of Peking, American steamer E.H. M. Huntington, Esq. C. D. Bottomley, Esq. E.H. M. Huntington, H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. Hon. A. P. McEwen. are heareby notified that the Cargo is being dis-A. P. STOKES. MEN'S SWIMMING SUITS: 5,079, H. C. Dearborn, San Francisco 22nd charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go-Supreme Court House. W. H. F. Darby, Esq. | Hon. F. D. Sassoon. ERIES, EMBROIDERE D SCREENS, and "PRIMA DONNA"; AND May, and Yokohama 12th June, General.downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will Hongkong, 22nd April, 1886. CHIEF MANAGES. NITCHKIS. MEN'S SWIMMING DRAWERS, lie at Consignoes' risk. The Cargo will be ready P. M. S. S. Co. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. TO LET. (Solo Pianist).

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On the 18th June, at No. 3, Morrison Hill, the wife of ABTHUR KENNEDY TRAVERS, of a son.

Havarona, June 19th, 1896.

Ir is strange and apparently anomalastic

islands on December 27th, 1884, to have been that the Chinese, with their ancient civili-80,378, a gain in eight years of 2,393. Japanese immigration began in 1885, and that of the Chization and peace-loving proclivities, should nese is conducted under regulations as to numstill retain so much of the inherent savagery bers but the restrictions are constantly being of the true barbarian. The race is neither pugnacious nor blood-thirsty, but a latent brutality underlies the normal placidity of -The President to-day transmitted to Congress a communication from the Secretary of State their demeanour and their patient andurance of wrong or oppression. How far the people recommending additional legislation for the reare responsible for this subdued ferocity | the supplemental treaty with China which went is a question not often asked even by into effect in 1881. The Secretary of State those who make a study of their manners Russell Young, when Minister to China, to with 11b. of Portland cement to the gallon not know whether Lam Sing was a member of and customs. We are of opinion that | Secretary Frelinghuysen. Chinese laws and their administration are in great part responsible for this re- will play at the Botanical Gardens to-morrow grettable want of feeling. The people (Sunday), commencing at 9 p.m. The following account this was done because he refused to pay is the programme:--generally are not hard hearted nor devoid; March...... "Come to the Saviour" Bonnisseau of the milk of human kindness. Hospitals Overture ... "Art and Nature" Hemmerle and the leners are treated with some consideration for their miserable state. The poor are relieved by the greatthier classes. and in times of scarcity or disaster the benevolent are ready enough to con. Cosmopolitan Garden last night before a large value of the tar upset by the defendant Mr. marily, but which must go to the Supreme tribute to the help of their less for crowd of visitors. The Garden was handsomely Danby placed at from \$2 to \$3, and in reply to a Court. tunate quantrymen. It is true the poorer decorated with flags, lanterns, and bunting question by the court as to the claim for time lost ship with want and misery, often show an insensibility to the sufferings of others that is simply shocking to Western ideas, but is with the ladies and children." that so wonderful considering their training and surroundings? The law, which should Gazette as follows:-In an article entitled "A he might have done so. Chey Chune, the oribe just and impartial and not cruel even when severe, in China is Draconian in spirit merciless in its administration. Order is maintained-where it is kept at all-by rigorous punishments, inflicted ruthlessly and without compassion. Capital punishment is freely awarded for piracy, robbery, and other offences as well as murder, and is inflicted with an absolute disregard of decency. The brutal and disgusting method of than heightened the gravity of the charge hanging adopted by Western nations is most atrocious outrage upon and scandal lief that I had looked with favour on the policy his pockect and he kept it. The watch was put played a gallant part during the Commune. to the civilization of the nineteenth century. but it is at least carried out in a sober and orderly manner, without needless humilia- had the kindness to communicate all the papers seive these things ? tion being beaped on the criminal. In Chi. in question to me." I none the less repeat what na executions take place in batches. criminals are carried, like pigs, in baskets, me. If you and your contemporaries will do me bound, and shot out on the ground, ranged in row, and then decapitated without ceremony and sometimes with such bungling some other impressions regarding the crisis of that horrible scenes ensue. When, as was 1880, the present fashion of discussing which is to consider his judgment. the case recently at Canton, a parricide is put To me, indeed, accusations of the kind can now

to death by the ling chik, or lingering process, do little injury.

The patriotic subscription in the Philippines I a most sickening and revolting spectacle is offered to the curious in horrors. This form building by the Hongkong and Whampos Dock defendant, said they could see very well what sort of punishment is thoroughly barbarous, and Company for the Spanish Government, now exworthy only of the Red Indians of North America, who were wont to bind their victims to a stake and skin them or cut them slowly | Manila Comercio :- The American barque to pieces. It is high time that the Chinese

and the tortures that disgrace Chinese

tion to such a piece of flagrant burbarity.

Francisco on the 9th instant.

meteriel is now on the way out.

to the Kowloon dock."

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Oceanic,

The Manila trainways are to be extended to

The O. & O. steamer San Pablo, with the

. Night signalling practice has been going on

The Agent informs us that the Austro-Hun-

garian Lloyd's steamer Medusa, from Trieste,

left Singapore yesterday morning for Hongkong.

The Danish steamer Norden and the German

steamer Johann left the Cosmopolitan dock yes-

terday, and the British steamer Cicero went over

The General Managers (Messrs, Jardine, Ma-

N. Co.'s steamer Wingsang, from Calcutta, left

The Agents (Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co.

inform us that the steamer Celtic Monarch, from

By kind permission of Captain Grierson, Di-

vine Service will be held on board the British

barque Elizabeth Nicholson, by the Rev. A. G.

Goldsmith, Seamen's Chaptain, to-morrow morn-

ing at 11 o'clock. The Bethel flag will be hoist-

The Criminal Sessions for June were postpon-

ed from yesterday to Monday at ten a.m. The

ment is opposed to curtailing the power of the

Pope's nominee for Nuncio at Peking, and does

not desire the French Government to have ex-

"A suggestion is made for the raising of two

Canadian regiments, one to be stationed at Hali-

fax,-the other at Esquimalt. This might in a

on the geology of Tai Yu Shan, but as his letter

contains nothing of an explanatory nature, we

Colonel Ellis, R.A., and Colonel Barker, R.E.,

who were appointed to inspect the fortifications

of Hongkong, are booked to leave here to-day in

the Thibet for Japan. It is said they recommend

tions, including the construction of still another

fort on Stonecutter's Island at a greater eleva-

The Hawaiian Islands have a standing diffi-

culty with Chinese immigrants. The Hawaiian

Almanac for 1886 reports the population of the

A telegram dated Washington, May 21st, says

inclosed a letter on the subject written by John

The Band of the Northamptonshire Regiment

speak; but one illustration will suffice. Sir Thomas Wade, who is somewhat severely reflected on as har-

raised the question of the accuracy of this assertion.

A reference to the MSS., however, shows that General

Gordon had written the passages complained of with his own hand, and that Sir Henry had softened rather

It is undeniable that General Gordon's papers

rather than aggravated. Sir Henry Gordon has

I have already written to the Times, that I never

entertained it, and at the same time to correct

for a moment entertained the idea attributed to

Vocal " God save the Queen "

......Villiers.

large and expensive additions to the fortifica-

are unable to give it publication.

tion than the two existing ones.

clusive control of all missions in China."

Rome, 16th May, says: -"The Chinese Govern- on water.

for Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohawa.

theson & Co.) inform us that the Indo China S

Singapore for this port yesterday.

of stabbing with intent to murder.

2nd instant for Yokohama and this port.

Island, Keliett's Island, and North Point.

Sampaloc and Malabon. The Comercio says the

which left here on the 15th May, arrived in San

The following charters are recorded in the Western Belle, 1,083 tons, for New York, private terms; the English barque President, 960 tons, Government commenced a reform of their for New York, at 35 for dry sugar; the Amerijudicial procedure and modes of punishment. can ship W. H. Lincoln, 1,675 tons, for New Such inhuman torments as the ling chih York, private terms; the American ship Invincible, 1,394 tons, for New York, private terms; the American ship Thomas Dina, 1,333 tons, The Vade Mecum for every Resident in the Courte and bring infamy on their admini- Cobu to New York, private terms; the Isaac Reid/Cebu to New York, private terms.

stration of justice should be abolished as Last night's Remenyl concert was not nearpreliminary steps in the path of reform. ly so well patronised as it deserved; the Scones like that lately witnessed on board of the Company entitled them to a bumper a fortnight's hard labour. He was only six days John Most said nothing about the attempted house, in fact, was a poor one while the merits manner, to be put a stop to. A small party house. It is astonishing, considering that comof pirates or robbers make their way through here find Hongkong the best paying 13 months in ganl, and he had been convicted the Anarchists, in which he said: "Capitalists town in the Far East, that the community here live times. His Worship recommended the man on heard among some two thousand two hundred disbanded soldiers, and in should accord such small support to real ex. for deportation. cellence when it comes. It is true the place order to suppress these fellows resort is been pretty heavily worked in the way had to a system of massacre of the most of entertainments for over a year past, but there cold-blooded description. No doubt the is now amongst us something of a different men thus summarily disposed of were great able to enjoy, and it is but a poor testimonial rascals, and possibly some deserved no to the musical taste of the colony that real better fate, but their offence on board merit should receive so much less support than abilities and acquirements of a much lower order the Meefoo certainly did not justify have accorded to them. Though the audience last such a ferocious sentance. We sincerely night was a small one it was an enthusiastic hope the Peking Government will cause one, and not one item of the programme passed without the warmest reception. inquiry to be made into this abomin- There can be no doubt that those who go to the premises of one Tam Asam on Thursday able butchery, and in fitting and marked the City Hall have an evening's thorough night with intent to commit a felony, was sent manner signify their displeasure with and enjoyment. To-night is the last of the to gad for three months. Company's sesson here, and all who have not disapproval of such proceedings. For their heard them should pay at least one visit; it will MELBOURNE. Mossrs. Norton, Hargrave & Co. own credit's sake—if for no higher reason— repay them. On Monday the Company give a performance at Canton, whither they go on a the Peking Authorities ought to refuse sanc-

> meed of support as Hongkong. men :-Your old University and other boating | tenancies of the house, the particulars of which readers will be interested to learn that the first | were false. race over rowed on the Thames-or indeed in Great Britain—in the new style of boat, sculling the paper, and he merely signed it, trusting to the State Department in regard to the fisheries fours, was rowed in two heats and a final on the man. Saturday afternoon, by crews of the Maurice Rowing Club, of which I am the President. The next American mail, left San Francisco on the race will, I hope, be the inauguration of the substitution in boating of the handier and better tool, a pair of soulls, for the clumsier, less level for a few evenings past between Stonecutter's oar. Had the rowing mind been as alert as the cycling mind, the change would have been made

two or three years ago, when our Maurice Club trials conclusively proved the superiority of sculls to cars as racing implements. But on the river, it is not as on the track. On the latter, every improvement is eagerly adopted as soon as it i made. Directly the great inventor, Humber, introduces a new type of machine, it is copied and sometimes improved, all through the trade, and over the world. But on the river, prejudice in favour of old ways prevails. Men right and left know as well as we of the Maurice Club that soulls have besten ours, and will beat them again whenever they are tried against them, fairly level crews arrested. changing boats. But the sturdy old Tories of fours and eights declare their fathers always rowed with oars, and they too have always rowed New York, left Singapore yesterday morning with oars: God forbid that they should change the good old stupid ways! Why, the Thames might dry up in indignation at such new-fangled notions. Two pairs of sculls in a skiff are allowable; so are three pairs in a randan, but four pairs in a four; eight pairs in an eight-Good with that Society. heavens, what is the world coming to! However. Sculls for Oars is the one great change wanted in boating; and it'll have to be made, notwithstanding all the pig-heads in England. one, the cases being only four in number and the power is more equally and more profitably the most serious charge among them being one applied than with cars; a crew gets sooner Society was taken. together, and gets more page out of its boat. A sculling eight with eight good men in her is

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LONDON, 17th June. BEARDING THE PREMIER IN MIDLOTHIAN.

started, will soon be but 20 days from Hongcontest Midlethian. LORD HARTINGTON AND HIS

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Mr. Thos. Ide Bowler forwards us a letter in CONSTITUENTS. reply to that of Mr. Phillips published in yester-The Marquis of Hartington has issued his day's issue. Mr. Bowler infers that the remarks of Mr. Phillips had reference to an article in the electoral manifesto. Mining Journal criticising Mr. Candler's report

SUPREME COURT

18th June.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFORE THE HON. JAMES RUSSELL, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE.

KWONG THAI V. OLSEN, \$35.50.

This was a claim for the value of a quantity of by the plaintiff in consequence. Mr. Bowles appeared for the defendant and

stated that the previous day he had written a letter to the plaintiff offering him 35 in satisfaction of his claim, and he now renewed the offer. The plaintiff declined to accept the terms offered, and the trial of the case was proceeded

The defendant is an overseer in the employ of consist half of Stockholm and half of coal tar, here, and he would tell the truth. Witness die mixed with it, and to be put on boiling hot. The the Hai Luk Kung San, he had never heard of defendant on three occasions had kicked a buc- that society. ket of the tar over. According to the plaintiff's the defendant a squeeze, but the defendant said secution. it was because there was no Stockholm tar in the mixture but only coal tar. As long as he was but the moment his back was turned coal tar not being present. alone was used. Mr. Danby gave evidence for the defence and bore out the defendant's statement as

Manager Harry Deakin said to your correspon. in consequence said the plaintiff would not have told we would sink every dollar we had. So far and could not claim for time lost in consequence our receipts have surpassed our utmost expect- of using bad material. The cost of coal tar was ations. The village has become very popular 12 cents a gallon and of Stockholm tar 40 cents. Mr. Danby further said he did not recollect telling the defendant to kick the tar over if the his evidence as soon as possible: Sir Thomas Wade writes to the Pall Mall mixture was not right, but said it was possible Brother's Tribute," being a review of Sir Henry | ginal contractor, was called by the court. This Gordon's memoir of events in the life of his dis- man had got into difficulties and latterly the tinguished brother Charles, you have the follow- work had been going on under the direction of Ng Mun Kwan. He said that the defendant was Of the care and scrupulous accuracy with which always making difficulties, and that he (Choy Sir Henry Gordon has performed his task we need not | Chune) had paid him \$2 a month to make things go smoothly and had also given him a watch and ing favoured the idea that Li Hung Chang should an umbrella. His Liordship recalled the defenmarch on Peking and execute a kind of coup d'état. dant to give him an opportunity of denying or explaining this statement. The defendant admitted that he had received \$2 from the contractor, but only on one occasion and not every month as stated. He did not ask for the money but Choy Chune offered it to him; he said he Market, in Paris, on the occasion of the funeral discussion. justify my good friend his brother in his be- did not want it, but Choy Chune slipped it into of a venerable widow, named Lemonnier, who

the charge that I did so has been lightened ceived an umbrella. . His Lordship-Did you think it right to re-Witness- I never asked him for them. His Lordship-I know, but there are other ways of asking for things besides by words. object for which they could have been given to

simply a question of the value of the tar.

His Lordship said there were certain points he to defray the cost of the gunboat Filipinas, now wished to consider, and, again, referring to the of a man he was; they could see what his opinions of morality were when he thought he was en-

> POLICE COURT. 18th June.

BEFORE MR. N. G. MITCRELL-INNES.

AN OLD OFFENDER Chun Atsun, hawker, was charged with stealing a bamboo, value 10 cents, in Hollywood-road

on Thursday night. -The prisoner was convicted and sentenced to The Freiheit appeared yesterday, but editor

.UNLICENSED BROTHEL. Kwan Atai, married woman, paid a fine of \$25

Lau Ayu, farmer, was fined \$15 for a breach of the Opium Farmer's monopoly, and in default - FELONIOUS INTENT.

Kwok Atai, seaman, for having been found on

REGISTRATION OFFENCE. Acting Registrar-General.

The following by Dr. Furnivall in the Pall partment, produced a paper signed by the de- limited to twenty-five men each. Mall Gazette will be read with interest by rowing fendant which purported to be a report of the

 $\mathbf{Fined} \; \mathbf{850}.$ EXTENSIVE LARCENY.

Wong Ashun, cook, was charged with stealg \$300 in notes and \$66 in silver, the property his employer, Wong Akwai, on the 18th ult. The complainant, a widow who lives in Aberdeen-stroot, stated that the defendant had been in her employ nine years. He brought her a paper from the Yeang Fuk Hong, asking for \$366 to send to Shanghai, and she sent him with \$300 two weeks. in notes and \$66 in silver to the accountant of the Man Ui Tong No. 111, Hollywood-road, to get all put into notes and send to Shanghai. In the first instance the defendant had only been asked to get \$200, and he got \$166 more than he was told, and with the whole sum he decamped, and was not found until a day or two ago, when

he was arrested. He returned \$100 when he was The defendant said that he lost \$100 of the money and he want and gambled to get it back. Sentenced to six months' hard labour.

THE CHARGE AGAINST A DETECTIVE. Li Fan, P.C. 280, was before the court, on remand, charged with being a member of the Triad Society, and with having participated actively and a cable dispatch would have been sent to the in unlawful acts arising from his connection department at Washington. The Nipsic is a Mr. Wilson, from the office of Messrs. Wot-

ton and Deacon defended. Some further evidence was given as to the poosa in starting for the South Atlantic Station occurrences in the house of the complainant and is owing to the non-arrival of the Nipsic. With scalls, men sit in the middle of the boat. in Gough-street on the night of the riot there, calendar on this occasion is not a very heavy not on opposite sides as with oars. With sculls, and in addition the following evidence as to the prisoner's alleged connection with the Triad

> Triad Society; his name was Li Min Cheung; to the proposed expedition of Irish-Americans by no other. He knew the defendant was a head | would be premature to reveal our plans. I may of the Triad Society because at 7 p.m. on the tell you, however, that there are not many under finished their meal the prisoner asked witness to if the necessity demanded, against the wretched bill reaches forty the Ministry will regign. had no money and he would not join. The pri- nor country."

and he became a member. He had not paid the | could have 50,000 volunteers who would fight for | league who are connected with branches of the defendant any money, but the latter had asked Ireland. We have already received more than a national league take advantage of the national "That's false!" him for it. Witness had consed to be a mem- hundred applications from officers of different league meetings to denounce householders.

soner told him that the Society was for fighting, | co-operate on behalf of Ireland." and if anyone assaulted him it could protect He had not regularly left the society, nothing had come of the matter, and he did not want to join. The Inspector asked witness to come up here, and the detective Lum Sing also. He had been promised nothing for coming up to give evidence. The prisoner had never done him any harm; he wanted to do the prisoner some

Lam Asun said he was a coolie living in Highstreet. He knew the prisoner, whose name was Li Afun, but he did not know what he was. He had never been in the prisoner's house. Witness was a member of the Man On Society, which he joined on the 3rd March in Taiping-shan; he could not tell what street. When he went there tar upset by the defendant and for loss sustained Li Afun, the prisoner, was there and he was the head man. He received the certificate produced from the prisoner. He also knew the prisoner by the name Li Ming-chenng. There were over 20 men in the house that night; they were coo-

Cross-examined by Mr. Wilson-Witness came here to earn his living, and when they asked him to join the society he did so. He did not The plaintiff had a sub-contract for putting know what were the objects of the Society. Lam two coatings of tar on the Kowloon wharves. Sing had asked witness to come up to give evidence. He had known Lam Sing over two years. Messrs. Danby and Leigh, and part of his duty | The prisoner had done him no harm, he did not was to see that the plaintiff did the tarring pro- want to harm the prisoner, but Lam Sing had perly. The contract was that the tar was to taken away his ticket and asked him to come up

> With the exception of one witness who was not present this concluded the case for the pro-Mr. Wilson said he understood the case would proceed all the afternoon, and he was not pre-

Captain Superintendent Deane, who was present watching the proceedings, asked if Mr Bulletin, dated New York, 20th May, records coating of the mixture contracted for and of one should submit a prima facie case had been made the success of the Japanese Village in the follows of coal tar alone, and said the work done by the out, and if that was so the case was one which ing terms :- "The Japanese Village opened at plaintiff would have to be done over again. The the magistrate had no power to deal with sum-

> amount of suspicion against the prisoner. Mr. Wilson thought that in a case of this nature it would be desirable for him to produce The case was then further remanded to this morning

Mr. Wilson applied for bail, and he thought existed. (At the previous sittings the police had consistent policy and a firm government. That objected to bail from fear of the prisoner getting at their witness if liberated). Bail was granted in a deposit of \$1,000 an one surety for a like sum, which were at once

referred to, and that in the memoir just published | into his pooket in the same way, and he also re- The Abbé Simon, rector of St. Enstache, had been taken as a hostage by the Communists, and

NEWS BY THE "CITY OF PEKING."

The Pacific Mail steamer City of Peking, Cap. tain Dearborn, from San Francisco 22nd ult. titled to money because it was put in his pocket. arrived here early yesterday morning. take the following telegrams from Californian | the Irish party through integnal divisions." exchanges:

AMERICA. CHINESE CONSUL RECOGNIZED New York, 12th May,

The President has recognized Yee Shaw How as Consul of the Chinese Empire at the port of THE LEADER OF THE ANARCHISTS IN THE

NEW YORK, 20th May.

Anarchists say down with the State. If we are to put an end to the capitalist we must dash to pieces his instrument of power, the State." How the State is to be dashed to pieces is defor keeping an unlicensed brothel at No. 5 Sui scribed by a communication from one of Most's men :- "To the Workingmen of New York: Take example of those noble persons in our cause -the brave bom-throwers of Chicago." Says the writer: "Your bestand surest ally, dynamite of payment he was sent to gaol for three weeks. will surely not leave you in the lurch. It is only You Alok, contractor, paid a fine of \$15 for a | with you to use it with as glorious consequences as did your friends in Chicago. Therefore, comrades, arm yourselves." THE FISHERY DISPUTES.

OTTAWA, (Ont.) 17th May. points named for the protection of the fisheries -The Middleton at St. John, the Comrade and Howlett at Halifax, the Critic at George-town, performance as Charles, wintered stay go and ing furnished untrue particulars concerning the will be put in commission this week. The rehave visited has accorded them so niggardly a tenancy of the second floor of that house to the maining four will soon be ready, and are schooners of light draught and specially designed ministration of law, and by the government's fusal of the Prince of Wales to be present at Mr. Osmund, of the Registrar-General's De- for speed. The vessels will be armed and crews showing its readiness to consider just grievances, the official dinner given by the Prime Minister NEW YORK, 22nd May.

The defendant said his rent collector filled up letter of inquiry addressed by Senator Fry to Parliament. in dispute, Secretary Bayard has written a note in which he says that a demand for the release of the seized vessels and an indemnity to their owners has been made upon the Canadian authoities. The Secretary also takes the opportunity to state at length the position which the State Department is determined to maintain in the matter, which, position, it is believed, meets the views held by Senator Fry. The latter started this morning for Maine, to be absent for about

> OTTAWA (Ont.), 21st May. A bill amending the Act respecting the fishing by foreign vessels in Canadian waters was read for a third time and passed to day, and will probably become a law within a week. FEARS FOR THE SAFETY OF AN AMERICAN

MAN-OF-WAR. New York, 20th May. There is a feeling of slarm in navy circles in regard to the United States man-of-wer Nipsic. which sailed for Hampton Roads from Montevidec seventy-three days ago and has not since been heard from. The ordinary time for the passage under sail, is forty days. If she had been delayed by bad weather she would before this have been able to make Barbadoes or St. Thomas sorow steamer of 1,375 tons displacement, and has a battery of six guns. Having completed her three years' foreign service, she was ordered home. It is rumoured that the delay of the Tilla-

IBISH-AMERICANS AND IRELAND'S DEMAND. New York, 22nd May. There was a meeting of the officers of the Lam Sui said he was a coolie residing in Sixty-ninth Regiment last evening, and after High street The defendant was a head of the the meeting Colonel Cavanagh said, in reference

Colonel Walker, a Conservative candidate, will the money to me." Witness then consented to join, some truth in the report that in four weeks we in rents and resists evictions. Members of this gangway with receiving money from America. nationalities who fought in the war of the re-Cross-examined by Mr. Wilson-The pri- bellion and who express themselves as ready to

> EUROPE. THE HOME BULE QUESTION.

London, 15th May. A great meeting of the opponents of home rule was held in St. James' Hall to-night, Mr. Ashmend Bartlett presiding. The Chairman announced that a new scheme of organization had been ratified to-day, making the Conserva-

had heretofore been. Mr. A. B. Corward, M.P., introduced a series of resolutions to the effect that the meeting ability of Lord Salisbury to maintain Great Britain and Ireland as one united kingdom, and to guard safely the union and greatness of the empire. The resolutions were carried amid

Lord Salisbury said that this policy on the burning question of the day was the traditional policy of the Tory party to maintain the union. This was the unbroken tradition of the Tories. He denounced the insinuation that the Conservatites concealed their policy. There was fair ground for hoping that to-day weekthe proposals of the Government would be a matter of history, but the question would survive. The loyal party had a fight before it. It would take a long time to root out the poisonous weed, because its seed had been sown with an unsparing hand. In regard to the guarantees alleged to have been made by the Irish members that they would accept this bill with an amendment providing for Irish representation at Westminster, the speaker said showed that they did not desire to not approve of Gladstone's Irish scheme, and he a reduction in the wages of their employes in

countrymen, and that was what they did not de-After criticising Gladstone's action to-Lord Salisbury said that he did not wish his trous worship to Gladstone. He said that it had the proposed action of the firm. ward Ireland since the passage of the Irish bill. A special telegram, to the San Francisco the difference in the appearance and effect of a ceeding with the defence in that court. He audience to infer that Gladstone was not as taken 200 years to reconcile Scotland to the ceeding with the defence in that court. He audience to infer that Gladstone was not as taken 200 years to reconcile Scotland to the ceeding with the defence in that court. He be turned. The speaker contended that Ireland licient time in which to prove how a union with was not a nation, because it contained two dif- Iroland would work. The Earl said he was in ferent and deeply divided races. It depends, he favour of continuing remedial legislation and es- by his trainer, Kempe, and his backer and manasaid, on the habits of the people whether self-government should be conferred upon them: ing passed a resolution denouncing Gladstone's that he had as yet arranged no engagements, but ger Harry Deakin said to your correspon- in consequence said the plaintiff would not have a nature that unless Mr. Wilson could prove lost any time if he had done the work properly, and could not claim for time lost in consequence and could not claim for time lost in consequence by the work properly, the evidence for the prosecution was entirely false.

The did not intend to consequence are consequence and could not claim for time lost in consequence by the evidence for the prosecution was entirely false.

The appeties of decrease a resolution denouncing characters are consequence and could not have a nature that unless Mr. Wilson could prove the babits of the Irish were very bad. The habits of the Irish were very bad. The habits of the Irish were very bad. The babits of the Irish were v had been used, must be considered before government powers to Ireland, the adoption of the will shortly challenge the world for a race for placing such a weapon as home rule in measures in that directica that would be applicable to the world for a race for measures in that directica that would be applicable. the bands of the Irish. There would be no necessity for coercion if the Irish abandoned their habits of mutilation, murder, and robbery and of preventing men who were attached to England

pleted the objection of the police no longer from earning a living. England wanted a firm was the policy of the Tory party. Lord Salisbury recommended that a portion of the money with which it was intended to buy out the Irish landlords be spent in helping the Irish to emigrate. This, he said, would be the best remedy for Ireland. He urged unity of action, and said that the time for using both was close There was a large gathering in the church of at hand. It remained with the Conservatives St. Eustache, opposite the Halls or Central to say what would be the result of the present

A vote of thanks to Lord Salisbury was carried with great enthusiasm. NEW YORK, 16th May. James O. Kelly cables to the Herald from

was in imminent danger of being shot, when London as follows:- "With Chamberlain and-Madame Lemonnier boldly placed herself at the cess is a question of life and death. Nothing head of a deputation of the Dames des Halles, but a great victory at the pells can save him. and proceeded to the Hotel de Ville. Pluckily from political annihilation. Numbers of his facing the Executive Committee, she declared political friends loathe him, and 'traitor' is the You got these things and kept them: The only that unless the rector were in his church on the politest epithet addressed to him in confidential following day, which happened to be Easter conversation. Last night a Radical member do not doubt, to show why I never could have you was to make you a dishonest servant to Mr. Sunday, the committee would hear more on the told me a story which throws a lurid light on Chater. You were taking pay from two masters. subject from the market women. The Da- Chamberlain's character. It seems that he goes His Lordship intimated that he would take time mes des Halles were successful in their appeal, among Radical and Liberal members saying priand at four o'clock the next morning the Abbé vately, 'Why should we concede home rule to needed. Mr. Bowles-We admit the tar was kicked Simon was set free. All the clergy of St. Eus. Parnell? The dynamiters are on his track; over and we do not attempt to justify it. It is tache attended the funeral of the worthy Ma. sooner or later they will skill him, then the

formation which came to my own knowledge which were made with telling effect. "We have some menths ago, as to the intended action of had, and still have," said Labouchere, early in his the band of miscreants, which I could not bring speech, "an excess of landlords in the House of myself to believe at the time. It is certain that | Commons. That is the reason why our land Chamberlain bases his hopes of defeating the laws are a reproach in the eyes of Europ". claim of Ireland to legislative independence on We have an excess of plutocrats in Eng. the disappearance of Parnell or the disruption of land, and are paying £500,000 for the occu-LONDON. 16th May.

evening, and to-day Gladstone held a conference | landlords and loan mongers, Iroland would prowith his colleagues. It is reported that, yield- bably soon be in a better position than Eugland ing to the urgent advice of Lords Morley and is now. The Orangomen of Ulster," Mr. Spancer, Gladstone has decided, in the event of | Labouchers said, "were steady, sensible, lawdefeat, to demand from the Queen an imme- abiding men; but once a year they were seized diate dissolution of Parliament. The Liberal with a sort of erotomania, the season beginning Association leaders in the provinces have sent | about the 1st of July and continuing until the a letter to Gladstone pleading with him not to 15th. During this time it was dangerous for resign but to appeal to the country, with a cer. | Catholics to come in their way. This was called tainty of securing a majority.

would prove disastrous to the country. .. ing to assist the inhabitants of Ulster.

LONDON, 17th May.

R: A. Cross, was the first speaker. He said that consider their position and the great services of the bill would not secure good Government for the Premier to the country, and to the House of Ireland. If it were passed there would by two Commons, they would see they owed it to themsets of judges in Ireland. One set would ad selves, to the party and to the Premier to exhaust minister justice in revenue cases and the other every means of coming to an understanding would administer justice in criminal cases. The | before destroying the Government. former would be protected by the Imperial Parliament and the other would be left to the ten-The following vessels are setting out for the der mercies of the Irish people. Mr. Gladstone itself felt socially. Landon would welcome a had said the union was effected by bribery, but truce bext week, when the season is at its height. the Premier himself was offering the large bribe The Derby is on Wednesday, and the Queen's of £50,000,000 to Ireland, and this was not the birthday will be celebrated on Saturday. People Cheung Kup, householder and lessee of No. 5, P. E. I., the Terror at Shelburne. N. S., and the first time that he had offered a bribe. Parlia remark with surprise that Gladstone has invited Sui Wai-lane, was summoned on a charge of hav- Lizzie Lindsay at Gaspe. Two of these vessels ment, the speaker continued, would cease to be his ex-colleagues to ding with him on Saturday. imperial if the Irish members were not retained. Chamberlain, Sir Henry James and Travelyan

He believed that by the firm and judicious ad- have accepted. Still in measurerising is the rethe Irish would in time see, as the Scotch had in honour of this anniversary. He breaks a already seen in their case, that it was to the in- time-honoured custom, and has excused himself The Tribune's Washington special of the 21st terest of Ireland to remain united with England on the ground that he had invited a large numsays:—It is understood that in response to a and to maintain the supremacy of the Imperial ber of colonial celebrities to dine that evening Mr. Stansfeld, President of the Local Govern- There are signs that more active spirits among

pounded a policy for governing Ireland resolute- coming impatient. A farmer was mardered on ly, "and," he continued, "we all know what Sunday in County Clare, whose orims was a 'resolutely means." [Cheers.] He believed in taking of a boycotted form. Judge Boyd of Irish nationality, and he thought that to satisfy the last court, mentioned a case where the the Irish was the only way to effect the lasting | Secretary of the National Learne sent a threamoral union of England and Ireland. [Cheers.] tening letter forbidding the Court Auctioncor Mr. McDonald, member from Elinburgh and to sell land which the Court ordered to be sold. St. Andrew's Universities, presented a petition Judge Boyd seems disposed to try conclusions against granting home rule to Ireland. The with the league. The public awaits the result petition was signed by 106,894 Scotchmen. It with interest, but thinks the League will bear

was one and one quarter miles long and weighed | the law with its severity. 274 pounds, and was borne into the House on the shoulders of stalwart attendants. On motion of Mr. Shaw Lefevre (Liberal) the resumed the debate on the home-rule bill this debate was adjourned until to-morrow.

night. It is reported that he will submit a Salisbury's revival of the cry of "no Popery," motion which will be acceptable to the Govern- and they could not afford to wait for an elaborament, postponing consideration of the Home tion of a scheme of an imperial federation. The Rule question. It is believed that Bright has written to Gladstone that unless the bill is with. when matured. He would rather the Orangedrawn he will speak and vote against it.

Hartington has decided to prepare a home-rule nestly hoped that Mr. Gladstone would not mutischeme embodying Mr. Chumbarlain's points, late the bill, or postpone it for another year. mainly the absolute supremacy of the Imperial | But happen what might, Mr. Gladaton had al-Parliament, the retention of Irish members at ready secured self-government for Ireland. [Pro-Westminster and complete control of the Irish | longed cheers]. provinces by the English Parliament. The British Orangemen are called upon to

pices of the Premier's Club for the purpose of "unity of the Empire." The meeting will be devoted to effecting a preliminary organization, adopting a title and agreeing upon the objects to which the mission of the organization is to be devoted. Catholic as well as Protestant lovalists are invited to join. One of the purposes enrollment of men accustomed to service. The Ministerialists say that in the event of

in Sam Shap Kan, and at about eight or nine independence of Ireland schieved, and who would being defeated by a small majority. Parliament o'clook he had his meal there. After they be prepared to fight to sustain Gladstone's bill will be dissolved, and if the majority against the by one British and one cork leg. [Roars of laughjoin his Triad Society, and witness told him he faction of Orangemen, who have neither faith | The Irish house league is operating actively the National League, and said he did not object against house owners in Kerry, Cork and Water- to the land-purchase scheme. Further on in his soner said—"When you have money you can pay Adjutant-General Moran said: "There is ford counties. The league demands reductions speech he accused the Parnellites below the

> Mr. Gladstone, in the Commons this afternoon, moved that the House devote four of the nights this moment called upon Major Sanderson to out of the five given to Parliament business withdraw his accusation. every week to the Home Rule bill. The Premier's proposal produced a sensation, as it has drew with pleasure what was contrary to the come to be generally believed, without any rules of the House. clearly definite reason why, that the Government had about given up the hope of carrying their measure and would bring on a crisis as early as the debate was adjourned. possible. Excited discussion at once followed Gladstone's motion. During this both sides to tive party more a party of the people than it the controversy revealed their position. Sir Gladstone, at a dinner party last Tuesday, was Michael Hicks-Beach (Conservative) said his party wanted a piedge that the debate would be

> > Labouchers said it was clear that the chief object of the opposition was to get rid of Glad- effect in Gladstone's favour. stone. Liberals who were opposing the bill were simply asserting the power of the Tories to pur- iluded that their proper course is to counteract, sue a policy of coercion. Labouchere's speech of they can, the Parliamentary supremacy atwas full of witticisms and convalsed the House. | tained by Parnell and his followers by exhibit-When he suggested that the bill be dropped after the second reading Gladstone leaned for government of Ireland, consequently, within the ward and closely watched the effect of the past week, Haslett, member for Belfast, has speaker's remarks upon the Parnellite members. given notice that he will introduce a bill to Dillon and other Irish members arose simultane- establish a bankruptcy court at Belfast. Saunderously, and in reply to Labouchere's suggestion | son will propose a bill to amend the acts relating shouted an emphatic no.

was carried.

the proposal. He has recently had frequent interviews with Morley and the party managers. On motion of McCarthy the debate was ad-

that in the country the majority of Liberals did That declared that the Government must stand or fall order to compete successfully with German would involve criticism of their Protestant in accordance with the vote on its plan for home manufacturers. The workmen refused to submit Earl Cowper, in his speech at Bedford, denouaced the Liberals for what he termed their idola-

berlain. They advocate a liberal concession of local | the voyage. His rowing weight is 168 pounds, to cable to England and Scotland as well as to Ire- 32,000 and will row for nothing less. Speaking land, and they demand the retention of the Irish of Hanlan he said: -"Hanlan is a very fair oursmembers in the Imperial Parliament. Lord Salisbury, since the union of Lord Hart- treated cordially in Australia he tells a falsehood.

toms of abandoning Lord Hartington to support colonists, who gave him \$250 which did not even John Bright. He has informed the Radicals thank them for. I am not in the least afraid to that if the Home Rule bill be passed, he will in- row Hanlan, but I shall not go to America unless sist upon the removal of the Irish representable he first comes to England; nor will I offer him tives from Westminster as an essential principle | special advantages if he decides to come here. The Queen has consented to the dissolution of

dissolution. She recommends that dissolution be postponed until August, on the ground that a general election in June would unsettle the season and be injurious to London tradesmen. The Irish National League has received from the Ninth New York Regiment and Clan Na | yesterday the hero of a dramatic adventure. As Gael Society of that city offers to equip, trans- he was coming down the staircase at the Banque

volunteers and 100 officers of the same force have | the man's miserable appearance Baron Souberant, offered to join any army put in the field by who is a Director of the Fonciere, told him to come selves and to fight in the Ulster cause without The doors and walls of the room are exceptionally

NEW YORK, 20th May. The Sun, this morning, has a column and a "Three 50,000 franc drafts on Geneva at my.

for home rule will cease.' This tallies with in- wittiesem and points favourable to Gladetone, pation of Egypt, because there are so many usurers and their friends in the House of Com-An informal Cabinet council was hold last mons. If the Irish people lose the presence of celebrating the Battle of the Boyne. Afterward Chamberlain is deluged with Radical protests. the Orangemen became praticable, reasonable To a Birmingham Liberal, who had written that human beings. Their religion was intolerant. Chamberlain's action had destroyed all chances They now threaten war upon the Empire. But of his ever attaining the leadership of the Li- they raised that very same question, with the berals. Chamberlain replied that he would sooner same swagger, and made the same boasts when forsake politics than to consent to measures that | the Irish Church was disestablished." Labou-

chere said he believed that some of the seceders The Grand Orange Lodge in New York has were conscientiously opposed to the principle of sent a cable message to Mr. Johnson, M.P., offer. the bill, while others only objected to the details. The latter class certainly ought to consider whether it was impossible to come to an arrange-The debate on the Home Rule bill was con- ment with the Government before they voted tinued in the House of Commons to-night. Sir against the bill. If these gentlemen would

The Home Rule contest threatens to make at Marlborough House.

ment Board, said that the Conservatives had pro- the criminal classes in Ireland are already be-

In the House of Commons Justin McCarthy evening. He said that the prospects of home Mr. John Bright was present at the session to- rule had brightened recently, thinks to Lord Irish Parliament would join in the federation men were friends than enemies. He hoped they From Birmingham comes the statement, made, | did not mean to fight. They ought rather to asit is said, on the highest authority, that Lord sist in regenerating their fatherland. He ear-

Mr. Childers, Home Secretary, said that while there was no danger in granting to Ireland the hold a mass meeting in London under the aus. powers which the bill confers, there was danger in refusing such powers. He believed that, as in inaugurating a league for the protection of the the cases of Australia and Canada, the measure would be accepted by Ireland cordially, and that the result would be a permanent attachment to

Rugland on the part of the Irish people. Major Saunderson was the next speaker. In the course of his remarks he said :- A strange conversion has occurred in the opinions of the that was his proper name, and witness knew him to enforce Ireland's demands for home rule: "It of the league will be, it is declared, to secure the Liberal leaders and the supporters of Mr. Parnell, and perhaps we shall never learn how their reciprocal action has been brought about. 20th January last he took witness to his house my command but who wish to see the legislative the Bill being carried by a small majority, or It is no wonder that such an arrangement has resulted in a limping policy, a policy supported ter.] The speaker advocated the suppression of Mr. O'Brien arose and excitedly exclaimed :-

The Speaker asked Mr. O'Brien to withdraw

Mr. Sexton rose to speak, but the Speaker at The Major responded by saying that he with-

Mr. O'Brien then exclaimed: "So do I." Upon motion of Viscount Lymington (Liberal)

New York, 22nd May. The Mail and Express' London cable says: measures and the probability, in his opinion, of finished Friday next. To this Gladstone answer- getting a majority for it. "The bill," replied represented the Conservative associations of the ed that his reckoning extended that debate far Gladstone, "is as sure to pass as I am sitting in kingdom, and that it had confidence in the beyond the date fixed by the opposition. After this chair." The reports of the Liberal whips a long and warm discussion, Gladstone's motion and the sentiment of the Gladstonites up to this time confirm the Premier's confidence. Chamberlain's behaviour has had an unexpected

The Irish loyalists in Parliament have couing a similar zeal for reform in errors in the to the lineu trade, and McCalmont promises to Labouchere was undoubtedly inspired to make | present a bill to prevent clerical interference in Parliamentary elections in Ireland.

THE EFFECTS OF GERMAN COMPETITION. LONDON, 19th May. Ward & Payne, of Sheffield, one of the largest Lord Hartington, speaking at Bradford, said firms of edged tool-makers in Eugland, recently announced that they would be compelled to make threaten to employ German workmen in their stead. The employes are greatly excited over BEACH AND HANLAN. LONDON, 17th May.

Beach, the Australian sculler, who arrived bers vesterday, is in robust health. He is accompanied man. If he denies that he was beaten fairly and ington and Mr. Chamberlain, has shown symp. He was unable to appreciate the kindness of the During the voyage, the captain, noticing my increase in flesh, offered me the privilege of working Parliament, but does not approve an immediate in the stoke-hole four hours daily to keep down my weight." DEAMATIC INCIDENT IN A PARIS BANK.

NEW YORK, 15th May. The Herald's Paris cable of the 14th says:-Baron Souberant, a well-known financier, was port and maintain in the field 10,000 men to support | d'Escomptes building an ex-employé of the Fonhome rule in Ulster against any and all Loyalist | ciere Insurance Company named Pillot, who had fled from justice after committing a forgery, stop-Three thousand men belonging to the London | ped him and appealed for charity. Touched by Ulster in a rebellion against Irish home rule. up stairs, and took him into the bank bond-room, The volunteers, it is stated, offer to equip them- where he sat down and waited to hear his story. hardly had they entered when Pillot drew a revolver and pointed it at the Baron, exclaiming:

Nationalist party will break up, and the demand half of Labouchere's best efforts, abounding in order at once, or I'll blow your brains out.

in all directions. Pillot took the express for 1763. Meantime, some roving Englishmen had Geneva, and on his arrival at the station there in 1605 planted a cross in Barbados inscribed tradition formalities.

M. DE LESSEPS AND THE PANAMA CANAL. the position of the company is made clear.

Paris, 21st May, seps, "the worst that even Rousseau can say is sourcely be more than 80,000 square miles. that great difficulties have yet to be overcome in the outting, and that the outting was contracted for below what the work will actually cost." Commenting on this, De Lesseps said: "The contractors will have to suffer if what M. Rousseau says be true, and not the company. I adhere t my belief that the canal will be completed in 1889, and I am ready to furnish the Government with all the information and documents in my possession which confirm me in my impression. THE INFANT KING OF SPAIN.

MADRID, 16th May. The Pope has consented to be the godfather of Queen Christina's child Madrid, 17th May,

Queen Christina to-day gave birth to a son In response to the summons, there had assembled at the palace to await the accouchement all the Cabinet Ministers, the foreign diplomatic representatives, the principal civil and military magnates, a deputation of the members of the Cortes, and other distinguished persons.

The child was born at midday. Both mother and son are doing well. The usual pomp and ceremony were observed in connection with the birth. In the Cortes Senor Sagasta expressed the satisfaction at the birth of a king, and he called upon the Spaniards to defend their young monarch. Senor Tereno made a similar speech on behalf of the Conservatives. The babe will be christened the present week and will probably be named Fernando. The Papal nuncio at Madrid will represent the Pope at the baptismal ceremony. The Queen has received numerous congratulatory telegrams from foreign sover eings. The city is illuminated to-night in honour of the royal birth.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

DUBLIN, 14th May. A firm of manufacturers in the Province of Ulster has already concluded arrangements for the transfer of its mills to Germany. It is stated visability of removing.

CONSTANTINOPLE, 14th May, The new Soudanese Mahdi, with fifty Aral followers, recently appeared in the ricinity of find Malacoa captured from the Dutch in 1795, Jeddah, out the telegraph wires, and defeated : detechment of Turkish troops, killing and wounding many of the soldiers. Another detachment of troops overthrew the rebols and captured seven of them, whose heads were exposed on spikes at the gates of Jeddah

BERLIN, 15th May. General surprise has been caused by the publication in the Reichs Ausliger of a decree for hidding the holding of public meetings in Berlin and Potsdam and their environs without police authority, and that permission must be asked forty-eight hours in advance of the time when it is proposed to hold the meeting. The decree is issued under the provisions of Article 28 of the Anti-Socialist law.

At a meeting of Catholic Bishops at Trevis it was decided that at the coming conference of Bishops at Fulda a paper should be prepared de manding the recall of the religious orders who were expelled from Prussia. It is said the Bishops are confident that Prince Bismarok, in his anxiety to end the Kutturkampi, will grant further ions, including the restoration of church schools. In the division on the final reading of the Ecclesiastical bill in the lower House of the Prussian Diet the majority consisting of 217 Conservatives and 15 Liberal Conservatives, while the minority was composed of the 62 National Liberals, 27 Free Conservatives, and 19 Liberal Conservatives.

M. de Giers, Russian Foreign Minister, has announced his intention of visiting Prince Bismarck in August next. The Czar of Russia has offered Dr. Schweniger (Prince Bismarck's physician) \$6,000 to re-

duce his sixteen stone to a healthy weight. LONDON, 19th May. The Government of Switzerland is taking active measures to put an end in the country to the propagation of the doctrines of the Mormon Church. A number of Mormon missionaries have been expelled, and it is probable more will

BERLIN, 19th May. The ultra-orthodox Deputies have introduced in the Landtag a motion to grant to the Protestant Church in Germany the liberties that have been obtained by the Prussian Catholics.

PARIS 19th May. Baron de Courcel, the French Ambassador at Berlin, has arrived here to confer with the Government concerning the relations between France and Germany. It is reported that these relations are at present strained.

CATANIA (Sicily,), 21st May. The eruption of Mount Ætus hourly in creases. The molten lava was only two hours' distant from Nicolosi eight miles from here, on the slope of the volcano, when the inhabitants fled. Many dwellings were destroyed, but no lives were lost. Earthquake shocks are constantly occurring.

LONDON, 19th May. Dispatches received from Cape Coast Castle. the capital of the Gold Coast, West Africa, say that a conflict is proceeding between the Becquahs and Adansis, two native tribes, and that in consequence the roads are blocked and all trade with the interior is temporarily stopped. The Becquaha recently captured forty five German traders and killed them all, by most terrible tertures and mutilations.

LONDON, 20th May. Later advices from Cape Coast Castle, West Africa, say that the forty-five traders murdered by Rechusnas were natives, belonging to the Gamin tribe, and not Germans, as the first dispatches stated. The natives in River Tanna district, East Africa, have murdered Missionary Houghton and his wife, near Lamoo.

BRITISH UNITY.

OUR COLONIAL ACQUISITIONS. This unparalleled Empire began hesitatingly some 300 years ago under the reign of a great Queen, with a precarious footing on an area of 40,000 square miles amid a population of savages; it culminates to-day with an area of 9,000,000 square miles and a population, including feudatories, of something like 270,000,000, one-seventh of the land surface of the globe and one-sixth of its inhabitants, and that excluding the mother country. England was for three centuries a Roman colony, and an important and stirring one, having, however, more analogy with India than with Canada or Australia. " Perish Britain!" they were at last compelled to cry in Rome, as the legious were recalled to the help of the falling Empire. And perish Britain did, in a sense, but only to rise again with renewed vigour and life, and begin a career which may be said to reach its culmination now, only we hope, however, to take a fresh start, leading ultimately to even greater results?

THE WORK OF THE 15TH, 16TH, AND 17TH CENTURIES.

The Portuguese and Spaniards, and even the French, were in the colonial field long before England. Spain had a settlement in Dominica as early as 1493, and Vasco da Gama India and South America had their Portuguese made his famous voyage up the St. Lawrence, taking possession of the country in the name of the French Sovereign. True: Cabot discovered Newfoundland the mainland of North America | Patna (New)\$540 to 5411 per chest. in 1497, but he, like other early Western naviga- Patna (Old) 565

He looked so determined that the financier, after land of fabulous riches that was the goal of the vain attempts to disarm his assailant; saw no infant naval enterprise of England for many help for it and complied. Having examined the years after Cabot's discovery. Up to the end of drafts and seen that there were all in order, the 16th century, while Portugal and Spain Pillot put them in his pecket and backed toward were rapidly extending their sway in Asia and the door, keeping his weapon pointed full on the America, England had only a doubtful posses-Baron. Before the clerks could come to the sion of Newfoundland with powerful French resone he belted down stairs and escaped. In. rivals. In 1580 the British flag was planted in formation was immediately given to the police the West India island of Tobago, but that island and detectives and telegrams were sent out was not effectively occupied by England till

was at once arrested by the Swiss police. He James, King of England and of this island,' now lies in jail, pending the fulfilment of ex. though there was no actual settlement till 1625. In Africa, we find that as early as 1583 Queen Elizabeth granted a patent to a company to trade to the Gambia, but no settlement seems to have M. Rousseau, the delegate appointed by the been established till 1631. St. Helena became Government to inspect the work on the Panama ours by capture in 1651, and four years-later, Canal, has presented a report, in which he denies 1655, Jamaica, the largest and richest of our the correctness of the Canal Company's state. West India possessions, capitulated to an expediment respecting its facilities for construction, tion sent out by Cromwell. At the end of the the time when the canal will be completed, and 17th century, besides Newfoundland and Berthe amount of money still required to accomplish mudas, and a few factories on the West the work. M. Baihaut, the Minister of Public African coast and in India, of the pre-Works, will inform M. de Lesseps and his fellow-directors that they must reply to M. Rons. less stable, of Jamaica, Barbados, St. Christopher's, Nevis, Turk's Island, Antigua, Montser. Helena out in the Atlantic. The total area of these did not much exceed 60,000 square miles,

thorize the proposed issue of lottery bonds until rat, Anguilla, Virgin Islands, Bahamas, and St M. De Lesseps, being interviewed on the sub. for our African and Indian settlements were litject of M. Rousseau's adverse report on the Pa- the more than stations. Even if we added such nama Canal, said that M. Rousseau natually took | parts of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick as were the pessimistic view. "But," added M. De Les- not occupied by France, the total area could THE EXTENSIONS OF THE 18TH CENTURY. Indian Company's factories and the Company's business were steadily extending. Comparatively few additions were made to the English posses-

of English dominion. During the last 49 years followed four years later by the cession of America. And mistress she might, perhaps, in colonial policy. In 1776 the Declaration of most valuable half of her dominions in America. the fact that our trade with the United States and Tobago were added to our West Indian possessions, followed in 1797 by the surrender of Trinidad to Absrcromby by the Spaniards. the Falkland Islands in 1765, no effective establishment was formed there till 1833. In 1783-6 British Honduras was acquired by treaties; in 1787 Sierra Leone was ceded by the native chiefs; while in 1788, not quite a century great Australasian group of colonies was laid by

was ceded in 1765, and Madras conquered in

settlement was established in Tasmania. Twenty-

beginnings of South Australia at Port Philip. In 1841 New Zealand began her wonderful career as a British colony; ten years later (1851) and set up for herself, an example followed. by Queensland in 1859. In 1806 the Dutch were compelled to hand over to us their possessions in South Africa, which by the formation of the Natal colony in 1838, and other subsequent annexations, have been extended far beyond their original boundaries. In 1807 we captured the tiny islet of Heligoland, and three years later. 1810, Mauritius capitulated, our possession of the island being confirmed by the Treaty of

Paris, 1814. A year later, 1815, we acquired the Ionian Islands by treaty, only to give them up to we established our naval station in Ascension. Singapore was settled in 1818, and the Falklands in 1833, Aden as an outpost of India was occupied in 1833, Labuan was ceded in 1846, followed by the Lagos in 1861, and Fiji in 1874. The Straits Settlements were detached from India in 1867 and set up for themselves as a separate colony: and in 1874 the native States of Perak, Selangore, and Sungoi Tjons were placed under its the British North Borneo Company was incorporated by Royal charter in 1881. We have

raising the British flag over Southern New Guines, the Higer mouths, and Bechuanaland in civil servants are busy getting into working order the extensive territory of Upper Burmah, proclaimed English on the first day of the present ther to the record of our dominion in India, which has advanced so rapidly that the 290,000 square

Howe, Caroline, Starbuck, Malden, and Fanning | woelock. } ... in the Pacific, not to mention the Nicobara and Andamans attached to India. The statesmen under whom this great and widely scattered empire was acquired and built up, never entertain. ed a doubt as to the necessity of England, if she was to maintain her position among the nations, taking this method of upholding her naval su-

quarter of the globe, of finding outlets for her rapidly increasing population, and of keeping all rivals out of the field. It has only been in recent years that politicians, ignorant of the real causes which led to the growth of our Colonial and Indian Empire, have spoken of it with disparagement and impatience as an expensive encumbrance, and have actually advocated its being out adrift to sink or swim. The above sketch, extracted from a London paper, appears to be fairly accurate but for one singular and important omission. No mention

markable.—Ed. D.P.] — <u> COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.</u>

Quotations are:reached India in 1498. Within very few years This year's New Malwa \$520 per picul, allce. of and Spanish viceroys. In 1534 Jacques Cartier Last year's New Malwa \$540 per picul, alice of Old Malwa.....

ters, simply regarded the New World as a bar- Benares (New) 520 to 5211 ,, rier on the way to India. It was this latter Benares (Old)...... 5371.

During the first half of the 18th century, the | On London .sions on the North American coast. France claimed all Canada, only telerating the station of the Hudson's Bay Company, founded in 1670, and holding the Alleghanies as the western limit of the 18th century, on the other hand, the broad foundation of England's Empire beyond the seas were firmly laid. The great struggle between Eng. | ON New YORK .-land and Erance for supremacy beyond Europe may be said to have began simultaneously in Indie and Canada. On the latter field it re- On Bombay.sulted in the capitulation of Quebec in 1759, the whole of Canada; so that England was ON CALCUTTA.virtually mistress of the whole of North have remained, had it not been for a b'under Independence was signed, and in 1783 England had to resign herself to the loss of by far the The extent of our loss may be estimated from is equal to the total of our colonial trade, leaving Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-18 India out of account, and amounts to one third of our entire foreign commorce. In the same year as Canada became an English possession the islands of Dominica, Granada, St. Vincent. Although Commodore Byron took possession of

that other Ulater firms are considering that ad- ago, the not very promising foundation of the the establishment of a small convict establish ment at Botany Bay. Turning to the East we though it did not finally become English till 1823. Penang was colonised in 1785, and Province Wellesley in 1798. Much more important was the capture of Ceylon from the same once supreme colonial Power in 1796. The battle of Plassey was fought in 1757, and within about half-a-century thereafter, through the genius of Clive and Hastings and Wellesley, English supremacy was virtually established, directly or indirectly, over a great part of the Indian Peninsula. Bengal

> 1792-1800, having between them an area estimated at 290,000 square miles, and a population of 55 millions. Thus, then, during the latter half of the 18th century we had succeeded in rapidly increasing our foreign possessions by something like 61 millions of square miles, reckoning the whole of Australia as virtually annexed During the present century we have been able to increase this area by about one-third, half of Hongkon; Ice Company's Shares-340 per it, at least, in India. While, during the last 86 years, we have been extending and confirming Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limitel name down for her that she might make no our hold over India and while we have acquired one or two really important additions to our Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company and now she is in perfect health, and the people colonial possessions, it will be seen that our chief! work has been to develop and consolidate the Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samutan Mining acquisitions of the latter half of the 18th century. In the West India region, British Guiana was finally annexed in 1803, and St. Lucia in the same year, thus completing the present list of our possessions in that quarter. Also in 1803 the first

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li six years later West Australia was settled, followed, seven years after, 1836, by the modest Hongkong and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co., Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 A-2 per cent. Viotoria separated from New South Wales Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-61 per cent.

Greece some 50 years after, and in the same year protection. We occupied Cyprus in 1878, and hardly yet recovered from the excitement of

1884; while at this moment our soldiers and our year. This last annexation, however, belongs ramiles and the 55 million inhabitants of 1800 have grown to something like a million and a half of square miles and 280 millions of a population.

To the above might be added such outlying spots as the Kuria-Muria Islands, the Keeling Islands, and Port Hamilton in Asiatic waters; Berbera

premacy, of securing her influence in every Hongkong ...

is made of Hongkong. This colony is small. it is true, but its trade is so gigantic and its strategic value so great that its omission is re-

FRIDAY, 18th June.

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6.—FORCE OF THE WIND seconding to Beaufort Scale.
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6.—STATE OF THE WINTERS: B. blue sky; C. detached clouds: D. driszling rain; F. fog; G. gloomy; H. hail; L. lightning; O. overcast; P. passing showers; Q. squally; R. rain; B. snow; T. thunder; V. vielbility; W. dew (wet).
7.—Rain in inches, tenths and hundredths. Hongkong Observatory, 18th June, 1886,

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G. Tayler MANTLA Esmeralda (str.) Hongkong-MANILA VIA AMOY Don Juan (str.).. Marquez..... Hongkong Plainmeller (str.) SAIGON Hongkong SWATOW, AMOY, &c.,..... Cass..... Cariabrooke (str.)., Hongkong HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. Exchange. Telegraphic Transfer3/24 (PROM MESSES. PALOOSES & Co.'s REGISTER.) Bank Bills, on demand3/23 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight......3/24 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight3/24 June 18th. Credits, at 4 months' sight3/31 Thermometer-1 r.K..... Documentary Bills, at 4 months' Thermometer -4 r.w. Thermometer -0 A.M. (Wet bulb). Bank Bills, on demand Credits, at 4 months' sight4.12

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per cent. premium, sales and sellers.

SHARES.

Union Insurance Society of Cauton, Limited—

China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-

North China Insurance-Tls. 300 per share.

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 148

Shares-103 per cent. prem., buyers.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-

China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited

Douglas Steamship Company, Limited-\$53

Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$130 per

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$197 per

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$95

China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-

Company, Limited—\$84 per share, sellers.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-8 per cent.

Chinese Imperial Government 1885 Dollar Loan

HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE.

19rn to 25rg Juny, 1886.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL

REGISTER.

17th June, 1846, at 4 p.w.

19th June, 1886, at 10 A.M.

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Hongkong Observatory, 18th June, 1886.

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER

Previous |

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Limited.—Par. nominal.

-3 per cent. premium.

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Shares—382 per share prem.

3 per cent. preminm, sellers.

-30 per cent. discount, nominal.

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Quotations are:-

· \$96 per share.

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share, buyers.

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per share, buyers.

A. WOMAN'S SUFFERINGS AND GRATITUDE.

A VOICE FROM AUSTRIA. Near the village of Zillingdorf, in Lower Austria, lives Maria Hass, an intelligent and industrious woman, whose story of physical suffering and final relief, as related by herself, is of interest to English women. "I was employed." she says, "in the work of a large farmhouse. Overwork brought on sick headache, followed by a deathly fainting and sickness of the stomach, until I was unable to retain either food or drink I was compelled to take to my bed for several weeks. Getting a little better from rest and quiet, I sought to do some work, but was soon taken with a pain in my side which in a little /THE Company's Chartered Steamship while seemed to spread over my whole body, and Yangteze Insurance Association—Tis. 118 per throbbed in my every limb. This was followed by a cough and shortness of breath, until finally Captain Cass, will be despatched for the above second, and, as I thought, for the last time. My A.M. friends told me that my time had nearly come, and that I could not live longer than when the Canton Insurance Office, Limited-3871 per trees put on their green once more. Then I happened to get one of the Seigel pamphlets. I Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares - read it, and my dear mother bought me a bottle of Seigel's Syrup, which I took exactly accord-China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$86 | ing to directions, and I had not taken the whole of it before I felt a great change for the better. Hongkong and Whampos Dook Company's My last illness began June 3rd, 1882, and Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s the Syrup. Very soon I could do a little work. The cough left me, and I was no more troubled in breathing. Now I am perfectly cured. And oh, how happy I am! I cannot express gratitude enough for Seigel's Sycup. Now I must tell you that the doctors in our district distributed handbills cautioning people against the medicine, telling them it would do them no good,

and many were thereby influenced to destroy the Seigel pamphlets; but now, wherever one is to be found, it is kept like a relic. The few precome eighteen miles to get me to buy the at THREE P.M. medicine for thom, knowing that it cared me, and to be sure to get the right kind. I know a Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$80 | woman who was looking like death, and who told them there was no help for her, that she had consulted several doctors, but none could help her. I told her of Seigel's Syrup, and wrote the mistake. She took my advice and the Syrup around us are amazed. The medicine has made such progress in our neighbourhood that people say they don't want the doctor any more, but Selangor Tin Mining Company-35 per share, they take the Syrup. Sufferers from gout who were confined to their bed and could hardly move Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per la finger, have been cured by it. There is a girl in our district who caught a cold by going through some water, and was in bed five years with costiveness and rheumatic pains, and had to have an attendant to watch by her. There was not a doctor in the surrounding districts to whom her mother had not applied to relieve her child, but every one crossed themselves and said they could not help her. Whenever the little bell, rang which is rung in our place when somebody is dead, we thought surely it was for her, but Seigel's Syrup and Pills saved her life, and now

> many years she had been in bed. To-day she adds her gratitude to mine for God'smeroies and Seigel's Syrup," MARIA HAAS. The people of England speak confirming the

> she is as healthy as anybody, goes to church, and

can work even in the fields. Everybody was

astonished when they saw her out, knowing how

AFTER SEVERAL YEARS. "Stoke Ferry, January 9th, 1884. "Gentlemen,-I have used Seigel's Syrup for several years, and have found it a most efficacious vernedy for Liver complaints and general debility, and I always keep some by me, and cannot speak too highly in its praise.—I remain, yours

" Harriett King." THE EFFECTS HAVE BEEN WONDERFUL. "Ilford Road Dispensary, Dukinfield,

May 3rd, 1884. "Dear Sir,-I am happy to inform you that the sale of your Syrup and Pills increases here continually. Several of my customers speak of having derived more benefit from the use of these SINGAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO, than from any other medicine. In some instances the effects have been wonderful.—Yours very respectfully, 2064—1 |

" Pro. Edwin Eastwood, J. B." VESSELS ON THE BERTH. ALTERATION OF DATE OF DEPARTURE.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading for VLADIVOSTOCK. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above place TO-DAY, the 19th instant, at 2.30 P.M., instead of as previously advertised. E. L. WOODIN. Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, 14th June, 1886.

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT).

THE Company's Steamship "ESMERALDA." · Captain G. Tayler, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 19th instant, at Five P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers. Hougkong, 17th June, 1886. OCEAN STEAMSHIP, COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

"DIOMED." Captain Bigley, will be despatched as above TO DAY, the 19th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 11th June, 1886.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

JO BE DESPATCHED

On 23rd inst., at Noon.

Quick despatch.

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Quick despatch.

On 2nd July, at Noon.

On or about 3rd July.

On 24th inst., at Noon.

On 22nd inst., at 3 P.M.

On 3rd July, at 3 P.M.

On 25th inst., at 4 P.M.

To-morrow. Daylight.

On 22nd inst., at 3 P.M.

To-day, at 2.30 P.M.

On 21st inst., at 4 P.M.

To-day, at 5 P.M.

To-day, at 6 P.M.

To-morrow, at 9 A.M.

On 22nd inst.

Quick despatch.

Quick despatch.

Quick despatch.

Quick despatch.

Quick despatch.

To-morrow.

* FOR SAIGON. THE British Steamer "PLAINMELLER." will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 19th inst, at SIX P.M. For Preight or Passage, apply to SOY SING.

Brandao & Co.

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Donglas Lapraik & Co....

FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO

No. 96 Bonham Strand. Hongkong, 17th June, 1886. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAL Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO. CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZE.) THE Company's Steamship

" GLAUCUS," Captain Hannah, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 20th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 14th June, 1886. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAIWANFOO. "CARTSBROOKE"

Chinese Insurance Company, Limited-\$170 per I could not sew, and I took to my bed for the Ports TO-MORROW, the 20th inst., at NINE For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, 17th June, 1886.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

THE Spanish Steamer " DON JUAN.' continued to August 9th, when I began to take Captain Marquez, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 21st instant, at FIVE P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BRANDAO & Co., Hougkong, 18th June. 1886. |1210

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship

served are borrowed to read, and I have lent mine | Captain T. S. Gardner, will be despatched for for six miles around our district. People have the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 22nd instra For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

> Hongkong 16th June, 1886. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. HE Steamship

"PEMBROKESHIRE." B. P. Wilkins Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on the 22nd instant. This Steamer has excellent Passenger Ac- of Steamers. commodation. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 18th June, 1886. FOR SINGAPORE, ADEN, HAVRE, ANI

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FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship "PARTHÍA." Captain Marshall will be despatched for the

above Port on FRIDAY, the 25th inst., at

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For Freight or Passage, apply to
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"LEONORA." Moreson, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 17th June, 1886. FOR HAVRE AND LONDON.

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For Freight, apply to
CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 11th May, 1886.

FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L II Norwegian Ship "BONA FIDES,"

Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1886.

THE 3/3 L II British Ship

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THE Steamstop "BELGIC," will be desnatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama on TUESDAY, the 22nd instant, at THREE P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the 24th instant. Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day pre-

vious to sailing. paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six On 21st inst., at 5 P.M., months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare: if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des tined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent Hongkong, 8th June, 1886.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO-LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ. PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN, AND BLACK: SEA PORTS. MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIS AND LA PLATA;

> LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX, DUNKIRK AND ANTWERP.

N THURSDAY, the 24th day of June, 1886 at Noon, the Company's Steamship "DJEMNAH." Commandant Vaquier, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Diaces.~≤

Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon. don as well as for. Marsoilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon Cargo will be received on board until 4 P. w Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 23rd

June, 1886. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are A.M. For further particulars, apply at the Comrany's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

Hongkong, 12th June, 1886.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamer - CITY OF PEKING." will be despatched for San Francisco, vil Yokohama, on CATURDAX, the 3rd July, at THREEP.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States and

Through Bills of Lading issued for transto San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities | make no enquiries into alleged losses of such of the United States, via Overland Railways, to letters. Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England. France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines

RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 %, from 649 Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through farce from China and Japan to Europs. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

on the day previous to sailing, Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and

C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 14th June, 1886. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L II German Bark

No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

"ALMA," Alberts, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Go.

·Hongkong, 19th May, 1886. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L II. American Ship "HENRY S. SANFORD," Pendleton, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 16th June, 1886. F1195 FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 3/3 L I.I. American Ship

"ST. DAVID."

Frost, Master, will load here for the about

THE 3/3 L I.I. American Ship

Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 28th May, 1886 FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

" Geo. R. Skolfield," C. Dunning, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 26th May, 1886.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 A I.I. American Ship "JOSEPHUS." W. A. Bogers, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co.

NOTICE. "DAILY PRESS" OFFICE.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1886.

1930 Bookbinding in every Style by Competent Workmen on the Premises. Music bound in Elegant Bindings. Commerical Binding of every Size and Description, and Account Books ruled to any Pattern. Nielsen, Master, will load here for the above QUALITY OF MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP

GUAEANTEED. "DAILY PRESS" OFFICE MAILS EXPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The Indo-China steamer Wingsang, with the Indian mail, left Singapore on the 18th, and is, due here on the 24th instant.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. steamer San Pablo, with the next American mail, left San Francisco on the 2nd June, and is due here on or about the 1st July.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Glaucus left Singapore on the afternoon of the 13th, and is due bere on or about the 19th instant. The Glan Line steamer Glanlyon left Singapore on the 16th; and is due here on the 22nd

The steamer Celtic Monarch left Singapore on the morning of the 18th, and is due here on the

The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer Me-RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have dusa left Singapore on the morning of the 18th, and is due here on the 24th instant. The O. S. S. Co.'s atsamer Stantor left Perim on the 13th instant, and is due here on the 1st

POST-OFFICE NOTICES

When Correspondence has been mis-sent or delayed (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) all that the addresses need do is to note on the cover, Sent to ----, or Received at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster-General.. This should be soted on the first time cause of complaint occurs : it is a mistake to let such matters pass for fear of giving trouble, a course which generally gives more trouble in the end.

LOCAL DELIVERY.—No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdeen, &c., nor at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected.

The Postal Guide for 1886, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory, p. 385 large edition, p. 701 small edition. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given A MAIL WILL CLOSE.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per Thibet, to-day, the 19th inst., at $2.00~{
m P.M.}$ For Manila.—Per Esmeralda, to-day, the 19th instant, at $4.30~\mathrm{P.M.}$ For Saigon.—Per Plainmeller, to-day, the 19th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Amov.—Per Athell, to-day, the 19th nstant, at 5.00 p, m. For Port Darwin, Sydney, and Melbourne.— Per Soochow, to-day, the 19th inst., at 5 p.m. For Swatow, Amoy, and Taiwanfoo.-Per

Carisbrooks, to-morrow, the 20th inst., at 8.30 For Swatow and Amoy.-Per Duburg, tomorrow, the 20th inst., at 9.00 A.M. For Shanghai.—Per Fooksang, on Monday, the 21st inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.—Per Don Juan, on Monday, the 21st inst., at 4.30 P.M.

For Straits and Calentta.—Per Japan, on fuesday, the 22nd inst., at 3.00 P.M.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Belgic will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 22nd inst., with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-2.15 P.M., Registry ceases.

20 p as Don't Office alouis had Corners may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, and, where Registration has been neglected, will

> MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Diemach will se despatched on THURSDAY, the 24th inst. with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via, Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burman, Ceylon, India (vii Madras), the Australasian Colonies.

Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails. &c. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into allegal losses of such

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing

Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:-Day of Departure. NOON.—Money Order Office closes. .00 P.M.-Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. .00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters. Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, 1.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely.

> the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure. THE FRENCH MAIL. Day before Departure. P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always

8.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board

open out of office hours. Day of Departure. A.M., Post Office opens. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 a.m., Letters may be posted with Late Fee. of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely,

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the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure. LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not no-

tified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the letters in the ordinary way, marked with the name of the ship, and propaid 10 cents per half ounce as usual. The Post Utilee then undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of departure and despatching the correspondence. It is requested that the letters be posted if possible at least one day before the date fixed for sailing

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS. Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :--

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